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#### FORT LEE COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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## **Know Your Neighbor Series Reveals Best of Region**

BRAC legislation resulted in many new faces and Families at Fort Lee. Thanks to a new series in the Fort Lee Traveller, these newcomers are getting acquainted with their fresh surroundings.

The 'Know Your Neighbor' series reveals the region's treasures and enlightens readers about what is available just off the installation. The result of the series is a renewed love of community for the old-timers here and a sense of familiarity as newcomers turn into locals.

The Traveller has already featured articles on <u>Chesterfield County</u>, <u>Colonial Heights</u>, <u>Hopewell</u>, <u>Petersburg</u>, and <u>Prince George County</u>. Dinwiddie County is set to be featured in the Traveller's Sept. 20 edition.

## Run for the Fallen Set for September 15

6,000 service members have died in Iraq and Afghanistan since the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001. Their loss is greatly felt across the Army, and their sacrifice and that of their families is not forgotten.

Fort Lee will host a Run for the Fallen on Sept. 15 at Williams Stadium to honor these men and women and the families who grieve for loved ones lost while giving their last full measure in service to this nation.

Fort Lee invites the public to participate in the free event by walking, running or rolling a one or five mile route. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. and the event begins at 10 a.m. Each mile that participants run, walk or roll in honor of fallen service members will be reported to the national initiative. For more details, call 734-6446, 765-7636 or visit <a href="www.leemwr.com">www.leemwr.com</a> and click on Army Community Services.

## **Upcoming Tours**



Halifax County H.S. JROTC: Sept. 19 Third Thursday: Sept. 20 Huguenot H.S. JROTC: Oct. 10 and 17

#### Off Duty In the Community



Police Race for 9/11 Heroes to Aid Kids

Local Fair Frenzy Begins

Richmond Hosts Last Race for Championship Chase

Submit your event information to <a href="mailto:sarah.r.gauvin.civ@mail.mil">sarah.r.gauvin.civ@mail.mil</a> to be featured.

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## Fort Lee Ceremonies & Special Events



Patriots Day Breakfast, Fire Station #2, 8 a.m., Sept. 11
POW-MIA Recognition Luncheon, Lee Club, 11:30 a.m., Sept. 12
49th Group Inactivation Ceremony, Seay Field, 9 a.m., Sept. 14
Run for the Fallen, Williams Stadium, 10 a.m., Sept. 15
Suicide Prevention Safety Stand Down Day, Sept. 27
Drug Take-Back Day, Visitor Center, 10 a.m., Sept. 29
Oktoberfest, Post Field House, 5 p.m., Oct. 13

#### Fort Lee in the Community



Color Guard, NASCAR Race, Richmond International Raceway, 6 p.m., Sept. 8

392nd Army Band, Honor Flight, Richmond, 7 a.m., Sept. 15

Speaker, Petersburg H.S. Reunion, Chesterfield County Airport, 6 p.m., Sept. 29

392nd Army Band & Color Guard, Massing of the Colors, Virginia War Memorial, 11 a.m., Oct. 6

Cannon Fire, VSU Military Appreciation Football Game, Rogers Stadium, 4 p.m., Oct. 6

#### **Traveller Articles of Interest**



O'neil Takes Charge of QM Corps

Fort Lee Prepares for Suicide Prevention Stand Down

State Representative Hosts Family Forum

Supreme Court to Hear Lee Soldier's Case

Lee Sets Prescription Drug Take-Back Event

Prince George Adjusts School Assignments for Monroe Manor

The 'Apple Tree' Opens Season for Lee Playhouse Troupe

Harney Takes ALU Charge

Family Members Launch Playground Project

Transporter Event to Fight Alzheimer's

Transitioning Lee Soldiers Get CDL Training

New Installation Chaplain Takes Reins, Pulpit

No More Vehicle Decals

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